for opening of DMS depots is dependent on the consumers' demand and availability of suitable site.

- (b) DMS Depots are not provided in some new colonies in Delhi/New Delhi.
- (c) The existing depots were established looking into consumers' demand of different localities.
- (d) DMS proposes to open some new depots based on the consumers' demand in the new localities and availability of site for construction of booth and other facilities.

## Terms of trade of Agriculture

- 2904. SHRI P. K. MAHESHWARI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government have decided to review and redefine the terms of trade of agriculture and the index of the economic condition of farmers:
  - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government have also set up a committee in this regard; and
- (d) if so, by when this committee is going to submit its recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK): (a) and (b) An exercise has been undertaken to revise the base year of the Index of Terms of Trade between agricultural and non-agricultural sectors from the earlier period triennium ending 1990-91 to triennium ending 1999-2000.

- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) Does not arise.